



5/11/2007

Claimant: Susan A. Wedeward
Claim #: 102068519
DOI: 10/29/2006
Employer: US Postal Service
DOB: 86

Appointment: 5/17/07 @ 10:30

Dear Ms. Haupt:

US Postal Service has referred your patient, Susan A. Wedeward, to our office for medical case management services.

In order that our Case Management efforts are consistent with the Employer's Return to Work Policy and your treatment plan, we request the opportunity to work in concert with you in attempts to formulate the earliest possible return to full work for Susan A. Wedeward.

Unfortunately, I will be unable to attend your appointment with Ms. Wedeward on 5/17/07. However, I am still very interested in seeing forward progress for this patient in terms of her work allowances. I have included with my letter, a second opinion report from Dr. Paul Cedarberg. As you will see, he notes that Ms. Wedeward has ongoing complaints of pain which are out of proportion to the minimal objective findings. This physician's recommendations are as follows:

1. Continue to work full time with restrictions through May 29, 2007.
2. As of 6/30/07 return to unrestricted work.
3. No further diagnostics or treatment recommended.
4. No evidence of fracture at any level.
5. No evidence of ongoing lumbar problems, only of a thoracic strain of over 6 months ago.

When I spoke with Ms. Wedeward recently she reported a new complaint of "right shoulder drop" and indicated that she was anxious to speak with you about this problem. At the conclusion of your evaluation of Ms. Wedeward, will you please respond briefly to the following?

1. Is Ms. Wedeward's new complaint of right shoulder drop in any way related to her reported work injury?
2. Do you agree with the conclusions/recommendations of Dr. Cedarberg? If not, please provide objective findings to support your recommendations.
3. May Ms. Wedeward return to full duty on 6/30/07 and when do you anticipate end of healing for this work injury? Please explain.

You may respond to my questions on this letter and fax to me at (920) 983-9087 or send to my mailing address:

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Thank you so much for your assistance, Ms. Haupt.

Sincerely,
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